



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

re Application of: Fissell *et al.*
Serial No.: 10/660,056 Art Unit: 1724
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Entitled: **ULTRAFILTRATION MEMBRANE, DEVICE,
BIOARTIFICIAL ORGAN, AND METHODS**

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED JANUARY 24, 2005

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The following communication is responsive to the Office Action mailed January 24, 2005. A request for a two-month extension of time is included herewith. Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the application in view of the following amendments and remarks.